लेखापरीक्षकों के प्रतिवेदन और उस पर भारत के नियंत्रक—महालेखपरीक्षक की टिप्पणियों सहित।

(ii) उपयुक्त निगम के कार्यकरण की सरकार द्वारा समीक्षा

II. ऊपर (I) में उल्लिखित पत्रों को सभा पटल पर रखने में हुए विलंब के कारणों को दर्शाने वाला विवरण(अंग्रेजी तथा हिन्दी में)। (Placed in Library. *See* No. LT-36/96) :

(i) Report and Accounts (1994-95) of the Birds Jute and Exports Limited, Calcutta and related papers.

(ii) Report and Accounts (1994-95) of the Jute Corporation of India Limted, Calcutta and related papers.

(iii) Report and Accounts (1994-95) of the Handicrafts and Handlooms Exports Corporation of India Limited, N. Delhi and related papers.

(iv) Report and Accounts (1994-95) of the Indian Jute Industries Research Association, Calcutta and related papers.

THE MINISTER OF TEXTILES (SHRI R.L. JALAPPA) : Madam I lay on the Table—

A copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following papers, under sub-section (1) of section 619A of the Companies Act, 1956:—

(i) (a) Annural Report and Accounts of the Birds Jute and Exports Limited, Calcutta, for the year 1994-95, together with the Auditors' Report on the Accounts and the comments of the Comptroller and Auditor Genreral of India thereon.

(b) Review by Government on the working of the above company. (Placed in Library, *See* No. LT-131/96)

(ii) (a) Annural Report and Accounts of the Jute Corporation of India Limited, Calcutta, for the year 1994-95, together with the Auditors' Report on the Accounts and the comments of the Comptroller and Auditor Genreral of India thereon.

(b) Review by Government on the working of the above corporation. (Placed in Library, *See* No. LT-132/96).

(iii) (a) Annural Report and Accounts of the Handicrafts and Handlooms Exports Corporation of India Limtied, New Delhi for the year 1994-95, together with the Auditors' Report on the Accounts and the comments of the Comptroller and Auditor Genreral of India thereon.

(b) Review by Government on the working of the above corporation.

(2) Statements (in English and Hindi) giving reasons for delay in laying the papers mentioned at (I) above. (Placed in Library, *See* No. LT-191/96)

A copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following papers:-

(iv) (a) Annural Report and Accounts of the Indian Jute Industries Research Association, Calcutta, for the year 1994-95, together with the Auditors' Report on the Accounts.

(b) Review by Government on the working of the above Association.

(c) Statement giving reasons for the delay in laying the papers mentioned at (b) above (Placed in Library, *See* No. LT-134/96)

Notification of the Ministry of Surface Transport

THE MINISTER OF SURFACE TRANSPORT SHRI T.G. VENKATRAMAN: I lay on the Table—

(i) A copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following Notifications of the Ministry of Surface Transport, under sub-section (4) of Section 124 of the Major Port Trusts Act, 1963:—

(1) G.S.R. No. 153(E), dated the 29th March, 1996 publishing the Madras Port Trust Employees; (Classification, Control and Appeal) (Amendment) Regulations 1996.

(2) G.S.R. No. 154(E), dated the 29th March, 1996 publishing the Cochin Port Trust Employees; (Recruitment, Seniority and Pomotion) (Amendment) Regulations 1996.

(3) G.S.R. No. 157(E). dated the 29th March, 1996 publishing the Cochin Port Employees ; (Recruitment, Seniority and Promotion) (Amendment) Regulations 1996.

(4) G.S.R. No. 158(E), dated the 29th March, 1996 publishing the Visakhapatnam Port Employees ; (Recruitment, Seniority and Promotion) (Amendment) Regulations 1996.

(5) G.S.R. No. 159(E), dated the 29th March, 1996 publishing the New Mangalore Port Trust Employees (Grant of Festival Advance) Amendment Regulations 1996.

(6) G.S.R. No. 160(E), dated the 29th March, 1996 publishing the Cochin Port Trust Employees (General Provident Fund) Amendment) Regulations 1996. (Placed in Library. *See* No. LT-299/96).

(7) A copy (in English and Hindi) of the Ministry of Surface Transport, Notification G.S.R. No. 108(E) , dated the 1st March, 1996, publishing the Merchant Shipping (Fees for Load Line Surveys) Amendment Rules, 1996, under sub-section (3) of Section 458 of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1958. (Placed in Library *See* No. LT-300/96)

(8) A copy (in English and Hindi) of the Ministry of Surface Transport, Notification G.S.R. No. 172 dated the 6th April, 1996, publishing the Directorate General of Shipping and Regional Offices (Sails) Group A& B (Non-Technical Posts) Recruitment Rules, 1995, under proviso to Article 309 of the Constitution of India. (Placed in Libary *See* No. LT-301/96).

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Welcome back to the Rajya Sabha, Mr. Venkatraman.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: I have to inform Members that a letter has been received from Shri R.K. Karanjia stating that he had a complete check-up done and the doctor has advised him to take complete bad rest for another three months and, hence, he is unable to attend the House during the current Session. He has, therefore, requested for the grant of Leave of Absence from all the sittings of the House during the current Session.

Does the hon. Member have the permission of the House for remaining absent from all the sittings of the House during the current Session ?

SHRI SATISH AGARWAL (Rajasthan): Madam, current Session means, up to 2nd August, or, up to 13th September ?

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Well, I do not know. The letter is written by him, not by me. If you want a clarification, I can ask him to do that. Now, does the hon. Member have the permission ?

(No hon. Member dissented)

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Permission to remain absent is granted. We wish him a speedy recovery.

SHRI SATISH AGARWAL: All of us wish him on early recovery.

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Now, we take up the zero hour submissions. Shri Peter Alphonse.

SHRI V. NARAYANASAMY: Madam,.....

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Mr. Narayanasamy, please sit down. I have the names written down here.

SHRI V. NARAYANASAMY (Pondicherry): Madam, I want to make a small submission. Members of Parliament from Orissa are sitting in dharna outside Gate No. 1 of Parliament House. Madam, this is a problem of Members of Parliament.

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: I know.

SHRI V. NARAYANASAMY: They are sitting in dharna. As you know, Madam, Orissa is a backward State. More than 40 per cent of the people are tribals.